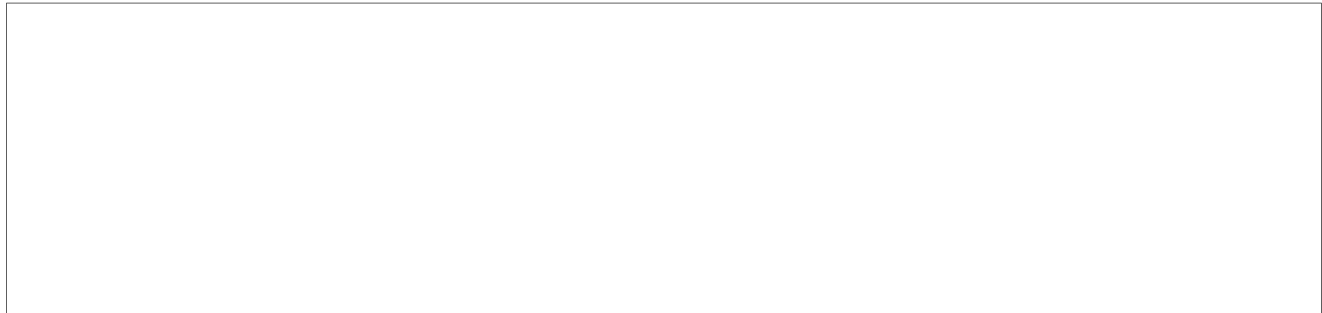


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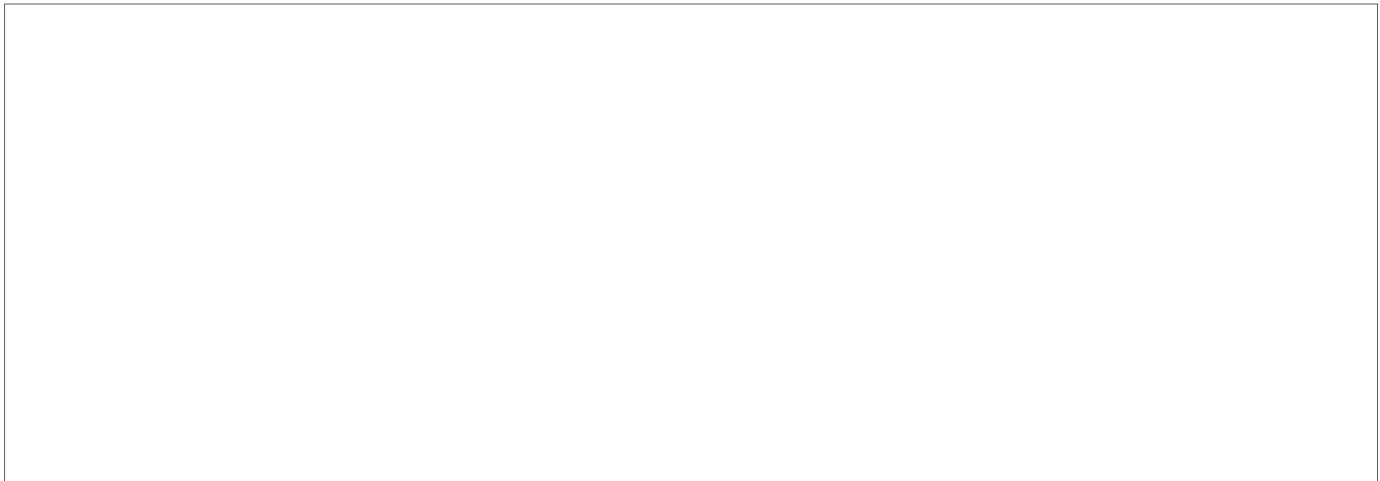
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a. A packet switch introductory course material review was conducted at M/A-COM Digital Communications Corporation (DCC) during this period. The course is scheduled to begin on 3 March, however, the DCC instructor who is scheduled to teach the course has not passed security screening and DCC is now scrambling to find a suitable replacement.

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b. MERCURY Program Office representatives, along with personnel from the Rockwell team, briefed senior Office of Communications personnel and members of the MERCURY Advisory Committee in Dallas, Texas on 30 January. Among the topics covered were project management, program office controls, development approach, system requirements, and modeling and prototyping. After the briefings, a demonstration of the VAX support software and a preliminary version of the application prototypes was given.



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